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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR, EC

SUBJ: FRANCISCO ADUM-ADUM, ZD-73-0006 (DA2-C1)

1. FRANCISCO ADUM, PEDRO MIRANDA-NIERA AND THREE OTHERS PREVIOUSLY ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH A LABORATORY MAKING COCAINE NEAR GUAYAQUIL ON MARCH 12, 1974 HAVE BEEN RELEASED FROM CUSTODY. THEY WILL CONTINUE FREE UNLESS NEW EVIDENCE AGAINST THEM IS INTRODUCED.

2. IN THE SAME CASE NINE OTHERS, ALL DEFENDANTS IN THE ORIGINAL CASE , WERE SENTENCED TO EIGHT YEARS IN PRISON.

3. ADUM, MIRANDA AND THE OTHERS RELEASED WERE ARRESTED ON THE BASIS OF TESTIMONY OF SOME OF THE DEFENDANTS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AT THE LABORATORY SITE. SINCE THE TIME OF THE DISCOVERY OF THE LABORATORY THE JUDGE PRESIDING OVER THE CASE WAS REPLACED. ADUM'S POSITION, APPARENTLY ACCEPTED BY THE JUDGE, IS THAT SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE DOES NOT EXIST AGAINST HIM IN THIS CASE.  
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